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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Ms. Pass:

This is an amendment and response to the examiner's office action dated June 7, 2004, relating to the above application.

**AMENDMENTS**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior claims listings in the application.

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (amended) A process for facilitating [patient self-diagnosis of] diagnosis of medical symptoms comprising the steps:
  - (a) providing an automated database as a real-time, web-based system that includes statistically accrued, evidence-based data that is input from multiple sources via a common web-based system template, the common web-based system template providing a medium for entering data into the database that includes actual diagnoses of patient symptoms from multiple patient populations